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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 2631

INFO AMEMBASSY KUWAIT IMMEDIATE

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SUBJECT: TELEGRAPHIC COMMUNICATIONS WITH BAGHDAD

FOR NAEHER FROM WILEY

FOR NEA/EX FROM WILEY

1. I AM BECOMING INCREASINGLY CONCERNED OVER THE SLOW RESPONSE

OF OC/T TO OUR SERVICE MESSAGES FROM BAGHDAD. WE ARE STILL AWAITING A RECODING AND RERUN OF AN IMMEDIATE (STATE 289616, MCN 1995) WHICH WE REQUESTED IN A SERVICE MESSAGE SENT BY TELEX ON DEC.17. TELEX LINES HAVE BEEN OPEN TO WASHINGTON SEVERAL TIMES IN LAST THREE DAYS. WE HAVE RECEIVED SEVERAL OTHER LOWER PRIORITY MESSAGES BY TELEX IN THIS PERIOD BUT THE IMMEDIATE HAS NOT BEEN RESENT.

2. SINCE OUR TELEX MESSAGES ARE FREQUENTLY GARBLED WE HAVE ASKED THAT THEY ALL BE REPEATED TO KUWAIT FOR DELIVERY TO BAGHDAD IN PLAIN TEXT. WE HAVE TWO UNCLASSIFIED AND ONE CLASSIFIED POUCHES PER WEEK DIRECTLY FROM KUWAIT. STATE 289616 WAS NOT SENT BY POUCH ALTHOUGH WE HELD OFF ON REQUESTING RECORDING OF MESSAGE IN BELIEF THAT CLEAR TEXT WOULD BE IN NEXT KUWAIT POUCH.

3. WE ARE ALSO AWAITING A NUMBER OF OTHER MESSAGES. FOR EXAMPLE MCN 1983 WHICH WE RECEIVED BADLY GARBLED ON DEC.2, HAS STILL NOT BE RETRANSMITTED ALTHOUGH WE HAVE REQUESTED IT IN THREE DIFFERENT SERVICE MESSAGES, FIRST OF WHICH WAS SENT TODEPT.DEC.6.

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RM I RECOMMEND THAT:

A. ALL TELEX MESSAGES TO BAGHDAD BE COPIED TO KUWAIT FOR DELIVERY
TO BAGHDAD IN CLEAR TEXT BY POUCH.

B. DEPT. RESPOND MORE PROMPTLY TO OUR SERVICES, PARTICULARLY
WHEN THEY CONCERN HIGH PRECEDENCE MESSAGES.
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